(c) whether sanctioned amount for the year 1987-88 has been fully released to the States;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) the allocation for the year 1988-89, State-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI JANARDHAN POOJARI): (a) Effective from 1987-88, Central assistance under Accelerated Rural Water Supply Programme (ARWSP) is allocated to States|UTs as per the following criteria:—

(i) 35 per cent weightage is given to rural population of the States|UTs;

(ii) 20 per cent weightage to the rural area of the States/UTs;

(iii) 20 per cent weightage to the incidence of poverty;

(iv) 12.5 per cent weightage in terms of area and 12.5 per cent weightage in terms of population to meet the special requirements of States/UTs covered under Drought Prone Area Programme (DPAP), Desert Development Programme (DDP), Hill Area Development Programme (HADP) and Special category Hill States.

The amount worked out under the above criteria is subject to States|UTs making atleast a matching provision under the State Sector Minimum Needs Programme (MNP) for Rural Water Supply.

5 per cent of the annual plan outlay is allocated for need based schemes to meet the requirement of special areas in the States of Rajasthan, Gujarat, Haryana, Himachal Pradesh and Jammu & Kashmir in proportion to the percentage of population covered under Desert Development Programme (DDP), suffering from chronic drinking water problem due to hot and cold desert eco-systems. This allocation is not subject to the condition of matching MNP provision by the States.

(b) to (e) A statement showing the amount allocated State-wise in 1985-86, 1986-87 and 1987-88, the amount released in 1987-88 and the allocation for 1988-89 is enclosed. [*See* Appendix CXLVI, Annexure No. 46]

Rehabilitation of tribals engaged in Jhum Cultivation

1095. SHRI SUNIL BASU RAY: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the States where Government have launched schemes for permanent settlement of tribals engaged in Jhum cultivation;

(b) the State-wise allocation made for implementation of these schemes during the last three years, year-wise;

(c) the number of such families rehabilitated so far State-wise; and

(d) the amount to be released during 1988-89 to the States, State-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI SHYAM LAL YADAV): (a) to (d) A Central Sector Scheme for Control of Shifting Cultivation was started during 5th Plan on a Pilot Project scale. This scheme was transferred to the State Sector w.e.f. 1-4-1979 as per the decision of the National Development Council. However, it was continued till 1986-87 in the erstwhile Union Territories of Arunachal Pradesh and Mizoram. Based on the recommendations of the Task Force on Shifting Cultivation in India (1983) and endorsed by Board on shifting cultivation and Committee of Ministers for Economic Development of North Eastern States, a scheme for control of shifting cultivation with 100 per cent Central assistance to State Plan has been launched w.e.f. 1987-88 in all the North Eastern States, Andhra Pradesh and Orissa. The details

of allocations, releases etc., are given below:—

(Rs. in lakhs)

Name of the State	Releases made			Allocations approved for 1988-89	No. of families selected for settlement
	1985-86	1986-87	1987-88		
1. Andhra Pradesh	..	..	55.00	55 00	1486
2. Arunachal Pradesh	6 00	6.00	65 00	135.00	2200
3. Assam	..	..	Nil	145 00	2400
4. Manipur	..	..	87 00	175 00	3000
5. Meghalaya	..	..	65 00	130 00	2252
6. Mizoram	19.00	19.00	72 00	125 00	2282*
7. Nagaland	..	..	145.00	290 00	4800
8. Orissa	..	..	208 00	340 00	6323
9. Tripura	..	..	53.00	105 00	1800
TOTAL :	25.00	25.00	750.00	1500 00	26543

*Includes 300 families taken up for settlement under pilot project.

2. North Eastern Council is also funding the Watershed Management Programme aimed at settlement of jhumia families in all the 7 States of North Eastern region. At present nine schemes are under implementation. An expenditure of Rs. 60.00 lakhs and Rs. 91.68 lakhs has been incurred during 1985-86 and 1986-87 respectively. Anticipated expenditure for 1987-88 is Rs. 75.45 lakhs and the outlay proposed for 1988-89 is Rs. 113.25 lakhs for this programme. These schemes will benefit 6039 families.

3. Funds have also been released under tribal welfare programme for rehabilitation of Shifting Cultivators as per the details given below:—

(Rs. in lakhs)

State	1984-85	1985-86	1986-87
1. Andhra Pradesh	192.00	75.00	100.00
2. Madhya Pradesh	51.26	Nil	Nil
3. Orissa	150.00	90.00	Nil
4. Meghalaya	Nil	5.00	Nil
5. Tripura	Nil	20.00	10.00
TOTAL :	393.26	190.00	110.00